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SHOPMEN SEEKING DELAY

ARE HOPEFUL THAT STRIKE MAY BE AVERTED.

Illinois Central Employees Ask Further Conference After Demands Are Refused.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Notwithstanding refusals by railroad officials to deal with any general federation of shop employees, labor leaders in Chicago were inclined to believe that no strike was imminent. For the employees, sentiment was voiced by Secretary Kramer of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths and Helpers. He said:

"It can be truthfully stated that negotiations are still pending. Until peace efforts have ceased I see no reason for forecasting results."

Referring particularly to the situation on the Illinois Central, Kramer said:

"We believe that we shall be successful in maintaining peace. In asking President Markham for another conference, it is our purpose to present to him additional reasons why it would be advisable for the company to deal with a federation of its mechanics."

"While the international officers now in Chicago have full authority to direct matters as they see fit, it is the intention to continue to use conciliatory tactics."

GROCCERS ASKING TERMS

Southern Association Would Compromise Anti-Trust Suit, Though This Fact Is Strenuously Denied.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Department of justice officials say the government has received repeated offers of compromise from counsel of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' association, whose president, J. H. McLaurin, declared in Jacksonville, Fla., that there are no negotiations pending by which the association will submit to the government's terms in the anti-trust suit against the concern.

The government's prosecution, which began in June, 1910, in the United States circuit court for the northern district of Alabama, according to Attorney General Wickersham's report, "is based on evidence indicating that the members of that association had attempted to control the business of the southern states in groceries and other necessities of life and to prevent manufacturers from selling to other wholesale grocers than members of the association."

GIRL FLIES MILE A MINUTE

Miss Harriet Quimby, an Eastern Lass, Breaks U. S. Record for Women Aviators.

New York, Sept. 4.—By flying a mile a minute in a 50-horsepower machine at the Mineola aviation field, Miss Harriet Quimby broke all records for speed by a woman aviator in America.

Miss Quimby made the flight in practicing for the ascent she is to make at the Staten Island fair at Dungan Hills. She flew straight away across country five and a half miles in slightly less than five and a half minutes.

The machine that she used was the one in which Johnstone broke the endurance record last month by remaining in the air 4 hours and 13 minutes.

Aid-de-Camp of Gen. Morgan Dies. Springfield, Ill., Sept. 4.—Major John B. Bacon, chief clerk in the state treasurer's office, died here. He was an aid-de-camp to Gen. John T. Morgan of Alabama during the Civil war.

Tipton (Mo.) Man Kills Himself. Tipton, Mo., Sept. 4.—Green Martin, 68 years of age, killed himself near here with a target rifle. Arrangements had been made to take him to the asylum. He is survived by a wife and four grown children.

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Ed Costick, a young man living a few miles east of Fulton, fell and broke his leg Saturday.

Leonard Mayweather, a negro 27 years of age, living at Water Valley, went suddenly insane a few days ago and on account of his dangerous condition was ordered confined at Hopkintonville.

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KENTUCKY STATE NOTES

Interesting Items From Over the State.

Frankfort.—Statistics relative to the leading crops for the state of Kentucky, collected at the thirteenth census, are contained in an official statement issued by Director Durand.

The leading crops of the state for 1909, ranked in the order of valuation, were: Corn, \$50,448,000; tobacco, \$39,869,000; hay and forage, \$10,306,000; wheat, \$8,812,000; potatoes, \$2,724,000, and oats, \$1,218,000.

From 1899 to 1909 corn increased 117,083 acres, or 3.5 per cent. Starting with 3,021,176 acres in 1879, corn fell by 1889 to 2,960,382, rose by 1899 to 3,319,257, and again by 1909 to 3,436,340. Hence, during the thirty-year period corn has made but slight increase. The total yield in 1909 was 83,338,024 bushels; the average yield per acre, \$14.70.

For the decade ending 1909 tobacco showed an increase of \$84,990 acres, or 22.1 per cent. The total yield in 1909 was 398,482,301 pounds; the average yield per acre, 848 pounds; the average value per acre, \$84.85.

Between 1899 and 1909 hay and forage showed an increase of 283,238 acres, or 41.5 per cent; average value per acre \$10.65.

Wheat in the decade from 1899 to 1909 decreased 749,704 acres, or 52.4 per cent. The average yield per acre was 13 bushels; the average value per acre, \$12.95.

During the decade prior to 1909 potatoes increased 18,590 acres, or 50 per cent. The aggregate yield in 1909 was 5,120,141 bushels; the average yield per acre, 92 bushels; the average value per acre, \$48.85.

Oats during the ten-year period decreased 142,275 acres, or 44.9 per cent. The total yield in 1909 was 2,406,064 bushels; the average yield per acre, 14 bushels; the average value per acre, \$7.

The cereals had an aggregate acreage of 4,323,702 acres in 1909, as compared to 5,085,529 in 1899, a decrease of 761,827 acres, or 17.6 per cent.

Will Investigate the Companies.

Health and accident insurance companies doing business in Kentucky are to be investigated carefully by C. W. Bell, state insurance commissioner, as a result of discussion of these companies at the recent national meeting of insurance commissioners at Milwaukee. Mr. Bell says it was found that many of the companies have been shaving claims and have been defrauding the policy holders. The investigation will show which companies are paying the claims and which are not.

Capt. Morrow Reports.

Capt. Charles H. Morrow, of the regular army, who has been detailed for service with the militia of Kentucky as instructor, reported at the capitol for duty. As neither the adjutant general nor the governor was in Frankfort he could not report to anybody. He expects to make his headquarters in Louisville with the first regiment. Capt. Morrow has friends in Frankfort, as he is from Somerset and has visited here several times.

Collected Money For State.

Auditor's agents who have been working under the present administration are engaged in making their reports to file with the auditor. The auditor will use these reports in making his own report to the legislature and the main purpose is to show that the auditor's agents have collected a large sum of money for the state. Frank P. James, state auditor, says the reports will show that half a million dollars has been collected by the auditor's agents during the past four years from delinquent taxpayers and officials.

Reports from the bedside of Judge John Lockett, first assistant attorney general, are that he is improving slowly, but surely, and that he soon will be able to be brought back to his home in Frankfort. For weeks it was thought that there was no chance for the recovery of Judge Lockett, but now it is thought that he will recover his normal health unless some unforeseen complication arises.

Upper Garrard.—John Waddell was wounded, the contents of a shotgun entering his body. Isaiah Foley was lodged in jail, charged with having done the shooting.

The gross receipts for railroad companies doing business in Kentucky for the last fiscal year were \$6,502,688 greater than the preceding year, as the gross receipts for last year amounted to \$46,788,004.

There was a gain of \$3,377,649 in the net receipts of last year over the preceding year.

The total valuation of the mileage owned in this state by all railroad companies amounts to \$50,975,971. The total mileage is 3,625,943.

Miss Ruth Porter, of Marvin School Clinton, in company with her instructor, Prof. John Nichols, swam the Mississippi river at Columbus Sunday, in almost record time, while the water was unusually rough and flecked with whitecaps. After swimming nearly across she turned upstream and swam for a quarter of a mile through an eddy that was especially rough just to get more experience in battling with the waves.

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